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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Gainsboro et al.

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For: COMPUTER-BASED METHOD AN RATUS FOR CONTROLLING, MONITORING, RECORDING AND REPORTING TELEPHONE ACCESS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.136(a)

SIR:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, dated August 20, 1999, be extended for a period of two (2) months from October 20, 1999 to and including December 20, 1999.

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Respectfully submitted,

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